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E.O. 11652: N/A
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SUBJECT: ISRAEL NAMES METULLA AND DOVEV AS OFFICIAL ENTRY
AND EXIT STATIONS

1. THE GOVERNMENT PRESS OFFICE RELEASED THE FOLLOWING
BULLETIN MARCH 10: BEGIN QUOTE: ACTING UNDER THE 'ENTRY
INTO ISRAEL' LAW, MINISTER OF THE INTERIOR SHLOMO HILLEL
HAS DECLARED THE BORDER CROSSINGS AT METULLA AND DOVEV
OFFICIAL ENTRY AND EXIT STATIONS OF THE STATE OF ISRAEL.
IT IS NOTED THAT 1,250 (ONE THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED AND
FIFTY) VISITORS HAVE ENTERED ISRAEL THROUGH THESE
CROSSINGS. END QUOTE.

2. A MINISTRY OF INTERIOR OFFICIAL TOLD US THAT THE ENTRY
AND EXIT POINTS NOW TO BE LISTED IN THE OFFICIAL GAZETTE
ARE AS FOLLOWS: BY AIR - (1) BEN GURION, (2) TEL AVIV - JAFFA
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(SDE DOV), (3) EILAT, (4) HAIFA, AND (5) JERUSALEM
(ATAROT). BY SEA - EILAT, HAIFA, ASHDOD, ASHKELON
(PETROLEUM), TEL AVIV - JAFFA, AND ROSH HANIKRA. BY
LAND - ALLENBY BRIDGE, ADAM BRIDGE (DAMIYA), DOVEV
AND METULLA.

3. COMMENT: THE GOI HAS NOW DULY LAID THE LEGAL

FOUNDATION FOR AN OPEN BORDER WITH LEBANON. THE
SIGNIFICANCE OF THIS STEP REMAINS TO BE SEEN.
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